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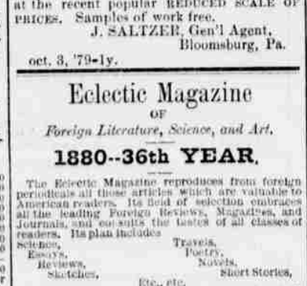

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Poetical.

IN THE LAST PEW.

Good Words.

She sits, bent o'er, with wrinkled face,
Poor and forlornly old; no grace
Smooths the sharp angles of her form,
Long buffeted by life's slow storm.
All else around is fine and fair;
The stained light falls, a golden glare,
In seeming mockery on her loose, gray hair.

The preacher, faultlessly arrayed,
Tells how our hearts afar have strayed,
And how all souls should be content
With those good blessings God has sent.
And one, of all that self-poised throng,
Hangs on his words nor deems them long,
And humbly thinks only her heart is wrong.

She meekly mumbles o'er the hymn
Her eyes with age and tear-drops dim;
What can the gay world hold for her—
This worn and weary worshipper?
Now rustling down the aisles in pride,
They toss bright smiles on every side,
Nor does she know the hurts such fair looks hide.

And still she sits, with tear-wet face,
As loth to leave that sacred place;
The organ, with quick thunders riven,
Lifts her sad, trembling soul to heaven;
She feels a sense of blissful rest,
Her bony hands across her breast
She clasps, and lowly sighs: "God knoweth best!"

One day, within some grander gate,
Where kings and ministers must wait,
While she hopes humbly for low place
Far from the dear, Lord's shining face,
Above the chant of heavenly choir
These words may sound with gracious fire;
"Well done, good, faithful servant, come up higher."

Select Story.

A BRILLIANT ADVENTURE.

The time was about a fortnight before Christmas. There were not many travelers, and I had a compartment in the early tidal train to myself. My destination was Paris, my errand to convey from my father (a London jeweler and silversmith) to his agent in that city a very valuable brilliant ring. 'The diamonds in it are worth £5000 if they are worth a penny,' my father had said to me, 'so I hope you will take special care of the ring, Ned, and neither lose it on the way nor allow yourself to be robbed of it.' I smiled a little superciliously as my father spoke. As if it were at all likely that I should either lose it or allow it to be stolen from me! I was just turned one-and-twenty and my father had no right to speak to me as if I were still a boy.

I had got the ring safe in an inner pocket of my waistcoat, I took care to assure myself from time to time. I had not seen it since my father put it into a little velvet box, in which it was still shut up. When I had finished my first cigar, and had got through with the morning news, the thought struck me that I might as well have another look at the ring. There could be no harm in that, you know. I took the box out of its hiding-place and opened it. My eyes were dazzled as I looked. There laid the darling in its nest of purple velvet. Who could have resisted the pleasure of taking it out and trying it on? Certainly not I. First on one finger and then on another, I tried it. Had it been made for the third finger of my right hand, it could not have fitted me better. It looked simply exquisite.

Now I came to think of it, was there or could there be a safer hiding place for the ring than my finger? I had only to keep my glove on, and not a soul would know anything about it. It was far safer than in my pocket. In such a case to hesitate was folly. I placed the ring on my finger, and put the empty box into my pocket. As I was alone there was no occasion to put my glove on just then; so I mused and smoked, and watched the many colored rays of light that flashed from the brilliants, and wondered what great swell's finger it was destined to decorate. How I wished that I could call it mine.

There was no harm in dazzling the eyes of the ticket collector with it. He was only a railway official. But I took care to pull on my glove and button it before alighting from the train. A quarter of an hour later we were steaming out of Dover harbor.

There were not more than a dozen passengers on deck. The day was cold and clear with just enough sea on to make the voyage unpleasant for bad sailors. Only two ladies were visable. One was a stout middle-aged person, who was eating and drinking nearly all the way across—evidently an old salt. The other was—well, simply the most charming creature I had ever set my eyes on. In point of fact, I could not keep my eyes off her. I passed her and repassed her as I paced the deck from end to end, and every time I passed her I looked at her. What lovely gray eyes! What superb yellow hair! But as for complexion, it would take a poet to describe its wildrose tints. Once or twice her eyes met mine just for a moment, and it struck me that they were full of a wistful sadness. So far as I could judge, she was entirely alone. We were about half-way across when, as I passed her for the fiftieth time spoke. 'Would Monsier have the goodness to ask the steward to bring me a little Cognac?' She spoke in French. As the song says, 'Her voice was low and sweet.' I was too flattered to answer her. I could only bow and grin, and make a bolt to the steward's den. Of course I took the Cognac to her myself. You should have seen how prettily she thanked me. She sipped it as a canary might do, if that bird were in the habit of drinking brandy. 'I hope that Mademoiselle is somewhat revived,' I ventured to observe presently.

'Yes; very much revived, thanks to Monsieur. But I am not Mademoiselle. I am a Madame. I am a widow' She pressed her handkerchief to her eyes as she spoke. How interesting, nay, how touching, was this simple confession. The wistful sorrow in her eyes was at once accounted for. Woul I that it had been my happy lot to comfort her!

There was a camp stool close by. Presently I ventured to draw it a little nearer and to sit down on it, blushing at my temerity as I did so. She did not seem at all offended, and we were presently in the midst of an animated and interesting conversation. There was no hauteur about Madame. On the contrary, she was candor itself. She had only been three days, she told me, in London. She had been staying with Sir Henry Fitz-Evans, who had charge of her late husband's interests in England. She was now going back into seclusion—going back to the little cottage in which she had dwelt ever since her dear husband's death. She would not be able to go forward by the evening train.

All this was told me with charming frankness. There was no reason why I should not wait and go forward with her by the evening train—if she would only allow me to do so. When I threw out a hint to that effect she offered no objection. She admitted at once that she was fond of society, and then she looked at me, and—well, I could almost have sworn that she blushed. I had already told her that I was bound for Paris on a special errand for my father; but I had not said a word about the ring, nor had she even seen it. I had put on my gloves before leaving the train at Dover, and I still wore them.

A little while longer and we found ourselves at Calais. When we landed, Madame admitted that she was hungry, and, that luncheon would be a desirable feature of the programme. Accordingly, while she went about her business, I took a voiture and drove to the Hotel Dessin. There, in the course of half an hour, Madame joined me.

Now one can't very well partake of luncheon in kid gloves. The question was wheather I should partake of mine with the ring on my finger, or whether I should put it carefully away in the box and hide it out of sight. If you have any knowledge of what human nature is at 21, especially when there's a pretty woman in the case, you will know the decision arrived at

Madame pecked a little at this and that, but hardly ate more than a sparrow might have done. How swiftly the minutes seem to fly! I could have lingered on in that cosey little room for a year. When the cloth was drawn and we were left to ourselves, with a bottle of hock on the table between us, somehow our chairs seemed to gravitate towards each other. Or perhaps it was the stove that attracted as, for the afternoon was chilly. In any case we found ourselves in closer proximity. Then said Madame, "Do you smoke, Monsieur?' 'Yes, considerably more than is good for me, I'm afraid.' 'Then smoke now. Oblige me. I like to see a gentleman smoke.' I rose to get a cigar case out of the pocket of my overcoat. Madame laid her hand lightly on my arm—and what a charming hand it was! 'Tenez. I am going to make a confession,' said she. 'I smoke, too—moi. Cigarettes. I lived for several years in Spain, where nearly all the ladies smoke. You are not shocked, I hope, at the idea of a lady smoking a cigarette?'

'Shocked, Madame—'

'No, of course not. You are too much a man of the world. You are above such insular prejudices. Eh bien, you shall smoke one of my cigarettes.' From the satchel by her side she drew an embroidered case, which she opened and bade me choose a cigarette. I did so, and she took another. Then with her own fair fingers she struck an allumette, and held it while I lighted the weed. Then she lighted her own. She could not fail to see my ring as she lighted the match.

'I dare say you find the flavor a little peculiar,' said Madame a minute or two later. 'These cigaretts are made of perfumed tobacco. I never smoke any others. I hope you don't find yours very disagreeable.'

On the contrary, Madame, I am quite in love with it. As you say, the flavor is slightly peculiar, but aromatic and pleasant—To tell the truth, I didn't like it at all, but I wouldn't have said so for worlds.

We smoked on in silence. What would this superb creature say to me, I wondered, if I were to tell her how madly I had fallen in love with her? Would she reject me with scorn, or would she——I gave a sudden start and was shocked to find that I had been falling asleep. Fortunately Madame had not noticed me. Her large melancholy eyes were bent upon the stove. There was certainly somsthing very soothing, something that inclined to slumber and happy dreams, about Madame's peculiar cigarettes. If I had but £2000 a year now, and this sweet creature to share it with me, how happy could I be! Certainly she must have been some six or seven years older than myself, but I never was one to care for your chits of school girls, who set up for being women before they are out of their teens. Here was an angel who had been cast on a bleak and unfeeling world, who had pined for a heart and a home—for a heart that brimmed over with love. Gracious goodness! I had a heart that yearned toward her—that—that——Why eh—how was this? And where was I?

I awoke with a shiver. But for the court yard the room would have been quite dark. My head was aching frightfully. I got up and staggered to the window. When I looked out and saw the familiar court yard everything came back to me like a flash of light. Where was Madame? Why had I slept so long? What a boor she must take me to be? groped for the bell and rang it violently. Up came a waiter with a candle. 'Where is Madame?' I demanded. 'Madame,' he answered' 'went out nearly three hours ago, saying she wanted to make a few purchases, and would be back in a little while. On no account, she said, was her brother, who had suffered terribly from mal de mer in crossing, to be disturbed, Madame,' he added, 'has not returned.'

Gone three hours ago! Her brother! Malde mer! What could it all mean? As I sat down, utterly bewildered, my arm pressed against the little box in my pocket. Mechanically I glanced at my finger. The ring was no longer there! My heat turned sick within me. I sank down and buried my face in my hands. The waiter thought I was ill, and ran to fetch some cognac. I saw it all now. Fool—fool that I was! I had allowed myself to be swindled, and by a common adventuress.

At 9 o'clock next morning I stood before my father a miserable, haggard, woe-begone wretch. I told my tale, but as I did so I could not keep down my tears of mingled shame and vexation. He listened to me with a curious, cynical smile. When I had done he went to his beureau and opened a drawer. 'Set your mind at rest, Ned,' 'Here's the ring, safe and sound!'

I could only stare at him in open mouthed astonishment. 'When Madame, with the ring in her possession, left you fast asleep, she was just in time to catch the afternoon boat back to Dover. The ring was in my hands again before 10 o'clock last night.'

'But—but,' I stammered out, 'I don't understand. When she had once got the ring in her possession, why did she bring it back to you?'

'Because she was paid to do so. Because she was hired by me, through the agency of a private inquiry office, to act as she did act. Madame by profession is not a thief, but a thief-catcher. You had grown so half conceited of late, Master Ned, you had got such a mighty tall opinion of yourself and your abilities, that I thought it would do you no harm to take you down a peg or two. I hope I have succeeded in convincing you that there are people in the world quite as clever, or it may be cleverer, than a certain young nincompoop of one-and-twenty years. If you will profit by the lesson my money will have been well spent.'

An hour or two later I said: 'But wasn't it rather a risky thing to do with a ring worth £500?'

My father winked at me with the solemnity of a judge. 'My dear dear Ned, what do you take your old dad for? The diamonds were nothing but paste.'

A Coffee-Field in Brazil.

From a very full account of the Brazilian Coffee Industry in *Scribner* for December, we take this description ot the field work, written from personal observation by Herbert H. Smith:

In southern Brazil, a coffee-field seldom lasts more than thirty years. The plantations are made on the fertile hill-sides, where the forest has been growing thick and strong. But the soil here is never deep—six or eight inches of mold at the utmost. In the tropics there are no long winters with mats of dead vegetable matter rotting under the snow. The leaves fall singly, and dry up until they break into dust; logs and decaying branches in the shady woods are carried away by white ants and beetles; hence the mold bed increases very slowly; in twenty-five or thirty years, the strong-growing coffee trees eat it all up. Most planters simply cut down the forest and leave the trees to dry in the sun for six or eight weeks, when they are burned. S——, more provident, lets the logs rot where they lie, which they do in a year or two; in the open sunlight they are saved from insects, and the ground receives a large accession to its strength.

Back of the house there are two yards or small fields, four acres, perhaps, together. The ground is covered with earthen pots set close together, only leaving little pathways at intervals. Each of the two hundred thousand pots contains a thriving young coffee-plant. The ground forms a gentle slope, and water is constantly running over it, so that it is always soaked. The pots, through orifices at the bottoms, draw up enough of this water to keep the roots moistened. The young plants are protected from the sun by mat screens stretched on poles above the ground.

This is a costly system. Most of the planters take root shoots at random from the old fields and set them at once into unprepared ground. Sr. S——'s experiment has cost him probably $20,000; the pots alone cost $11,000. But he will make at least $50,000 by the operation. In the first place, he gains a good year in the start that he gives to these young plants. Then they are not put back in the transplanting; the pots are simply inverted and the roots come out with the earth. They are set into mold or compost which has been prepared in deep holes. The tender rootlets catch hold of this at once, and in a day or two the plant is growing as well as ever.

The nurslings come from selected seeds of half a dozen varieties. Sr. S—— has them planted at first in small pots. A dozen slaves are engaged transplanting the six-inch high shoots to larger pots. Little tired-looking children carry them about on their shoulders, working on as steadily as the old ones, for they are well trained. Sr. S—— wants to make his plants last fifty years, so he is careful and tender with them. The little blacks will be free in 1892, so his policy is to get as much work as possible from them while he can.

The plants are set in rows, about ten feet apart. They grow, and thrive, and are happy out on the hill-side. Warm sunshine caresses the leaves; generous rains feed the tender roots; the ground is kept free from intruding weeds and bushes, and the planter waits for his harvest. After four yeors, the trees are six feet high and begin to bear. By the sixth year, the crops are very large,—three or even four pounds per tree at times. Meanwhile, corn and mandioca are planted between the rows. Often in a new plantation the expenses are nearly covered by these subsidiary crops.

In the month of November only a few of the slaves are in the new fields. November is the principal gathering month, and almost the whole force must be at work in the bear-orchards. From sunrise to sunset, men, women, and children are gathering the berries in baskets, working silently and steadily under the overseer's eye. Every day, each slave gathers on the average berries enough to produce fifty pounds of dried coffee. The pickings are collected in carts and brought to the mill-house, where the seeds must be prepared for the market.

A GREAT DISCOVERY.

There is now living near Catasauqua, Penna., in a hearty old age, the man who discovered how to use anthracite coal in the manufacture of iron. His name is David Thomas, and the story of his discovery he thus narrates:

"One winter night, in the old country, I sat with Mr. Crane, a brother superintendent of a blast furnace over a grate fire of hard coal. We had talked of the recent invention of the hot blast, just patented by Mr. Neilson, a Scotchman, and our conversation had carried us pretty far along into the evening. The fire had burned low, and we were about to separate, when I picked up the bellows and began to blow it. 'You will put out the fire,' said Mr. Crane. As he spoke it flashed over me that if my bellows gave a hot blast it would bring the grateful of coal to a bright glow, and with the thought there came like an inspiration upon me that was needed to utilise the rich beds of anthracite under our feet for making iron. I dropped the bellows and gave utterance to my thoughts. Mr. Crane smiled, then grew attentive, and as I went on thinking out my theory as I spoke he became interested. When I concluded we grasped hands over the dead coals of our anthracite fire and separated. Little sleep we got that night. To me it was one of restless anxiety. When I read an account of the night before the execution of a condemned man I always think of my new idea.—The next day I posted up to Scotland, and on my return I brought with me the

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PHILADELPHIA ROUGH'S.

The fifth delegate convention of democrats in Philadelphia last week Tuesday was entered by a crowd of roughs, with the intention of breaking up the convention and this purpose was fully accomplished. The gang was led by the notorious William McMullin. A fray ensued in which a man named Lyons was shot in the hand by McMullin. Lyons appeared before Magistrate List and testified as follows;

About twenty minutes after ten o'clock on Tuesday morning William McMullin, preceding a large number of other men, entered the saloon 704 South Second street, and took seats in the second-story front room, in which room it was the intention of the delegates to meet. Apprehending the purpose of McMullin and his men to take seats in the Convention, it was agreed to hold the Convention in the back room on the first floor. The meeting had hardly been called to order before there was a loud rapping at the door, followed by a pounding as if the parties on the outside were bursting their way in. In a few minutes the door began to give way, and many of the delegates started to leave the room by the back door. They had not departed, however, before the door fell from its hinges and McMullin, with drawn pistol, entered the room, followed by several others, who were also armed. The delegates jumped to their feet, and, as they did so, three or four shots were fired by the intruders. Great confusion followed, and some of the delegates jumped through the windows in to a side alley. I hurried out of a door in the rear into the same alley, and, as I reached the steps, I saw McMullin come out of an other door at the other end of the room. When he saw me he walked toward me. I retreated down the alley, as I saw he had his pistol in his hand. He followed me with his pistol levelled first at my head and then at my body. I moved my hands from side to side, in the hope of receiving the shot in my hands when he fired rather than in my body. At an intersection of an other small alley, which runs out on Shippen street, McMullin fired at me, but the ball passed over my head. He continued to follow me, however, and I worked my hands over my breast. Just as I reached the corner of the alley and the street, and was about to turn, he fired another shot, which took effect in my hand."

McMullin afterward appeared, and waived a hearing and entered bail in the sum of $2,000 for his appearance at court. The sooner the Democrats of Philadelphia can get rid of this shoulder hitter the better it will be for them.

WASHINGTON LETTER.

Washington, D. C. Dec. 9th 1879.

Washington is feeling the effects of the "exodus" of negroes from the South. Those from North Carolina pass through this city. They are without money or comfortable clothing. There are about one hundred of them here now living upon charity, and waiting until they shall be furnished free transportation to Indiana. One cannot help wondering at their undertaking such a journey at this season. Indeed, the movement is doubtless a political one, managed in the supposed interest of the radical party in Indiana. If its effect there is not exactly contrary to what its promoters anticipate I am much mistaken.

The holiday adjournment will probably be as early as Monday the 15th, which will give the members a chance to meet General Grant at Philadelphia on the 16th. This is the wish of Senator Cameron, and his winning ways have often secured an adjournment, whether for the promotion of his own matrimonial scheme or for the benefit of a horse race. This time, however, no serious damage will be done, for, despite reports to the contrary, the Committee on Appropriations of the House will have no bills fully prepared before the holiday recess. It was believed in the *Star* of last evening that the Pension and one other appropriation bill would be ready this week, but the report of the Commissioner of Pensions is still in the hands of the printer.

The annual proposal to reduce government expenses seems to be more earnestly discussed than usual among members, and the delay in reporting the bills is one result of that fact. It is still doubtful if a majority of members of either House can be held together in an effort to save from twenty to forty millions during the next fiscal year. But the attempt will be made.

Yesterday the Senate Judiciary Committee reported unanimously in favor of confirming the nomination of Secretary McCrary as Judge of a U. S. Court. It is a gratifying fact that noisy opposition to Mr. McCrary did not cause democratic Senators to take a partisan view of the situation. They voted as one would expect such men as Thurman, Bayard, McDonald, Garland and Lamar to vote, with regard only to the personal and professional fitness of the nominee. In saying this I do not lose sight of the fact any more than these Senators did, that the political course of McCrary has been such as all patriotic men hope will be felt hereafter to have been reprehensible. His confirmation by the Senate is certain.

Yesterday the New York *Tribune* gave up two columns or so to a discussion of Maine political affairs. Such words as "fraud," "theft," &c, were sprinkled through the article liberally. To judge from radical politicians here and the press elsewhere, one would believe that Gov. Garcelon was tampering with the official returns and preparing to certify to a lie. The design, of course, is to frighten the Governor and Council, and create a feeling to affect next year's election.

HILTON.

THE LOUISIANA ELECTION.

The election in Louisiana last week resulted in the success of the Democratic ticket, by a large majority. Everything passed off very quietly and the negroes are reported as generally voting the democratic ticket. It is time now for a little more "bloody shirt" music from the Republican organ.

At New Haven, Conn., last week the Democrats elected a full ticket at the town election. The Common Council is democratic for the first time in three years. The greenbackers ran no ticket and voted with the Democrats.

Secretary McCrary's appointment as United States Judge of the eighth circuit will probably be confirmed by the Senate.

DEATH OF JUDGE KETCHUM.

Judge W. W. Ketchem, of the United States District Court of western Pennsylvania died at Pittsburg last Sunday morning suddenly. He occupied the bench Saturday and at three o'clock proceeded to his room at his hotel. While reading he complained to his wife of a severe headache. He arose to approach the lounge and sank to the floor. Dr. Benham was summoned, pronounced apoplexy the ailment and assisted the Judge to bed. While walking across the room the Judge remarked: "In five or six hours it will all be over with me." At 7 o'clock he was unconscious and at 11:50 he expired.

The remains were taken to Wilkes Barre Monday for interment.

[Winthrop W. Ketchum was a native of Wilkes Barre, where he was born June 29, 1820. He was educated at Dana Academy and at the Wyoming Seminary, and taught school from 1843 to 1847, when he began the study of law, and was admitted to the bar in Wilkes Barre three years later. Except when filling public office he continued the practice of his profession. He was a Whig until the organization of the Republican party, when he became an active member of that, and held several honorable positions. In 1855 he was elected Prothonotary of Luzerne county, serving three years, and then occupying a seat in the lower house of the Legislature for a year. In 1859 he was chosen to the State Senate for three years. President Lincoln, in February, 1864, appointed Mr. Ketchum solicitor for the United States Court of Claims, which position he occupied till September, 1866, when he resigned and resumed his practice at Wilkes Barre. In 1874 he was elected to Congress from the Twelfth district, now represented by Hendrick B. Wright, beating Mr. Wright by 767 votes, and no better evidence of his popularity among those who knew him could be needed. The district was undeniably Democratic, and has twice since been carried by Mr. Wright, although Mr. Ketchum was not a candidate for re-election. In 1860 Mr. Ketchum went to the Chicago Convention as a district delegate, assisting in the nomination of Abraham Lincoln to the Presidency; in 1864 he was a delegate-at-large to the convention at Baltimore, which renominated Lincoln, and he was a Grant Elector in 1868. He was appointed United States District Judge for the Western district of Pennsylvania by President Grant in 1876, and filled the position with decided credit.]

How Miss Sickles is Said to Have Learned Her Mother's Story.

A writer, in speaking of the published rumors that General Sickles' daughter had eloped from Paris says:

The writer of this while in Baltimore several years ago was told a story about Miss Sickles by a school friend of hers which is full of pathetic interest just now. A little party had been given at the house of a lady in Baltimore where the writer met Miss Sickles and was struck by her quick witted repartees and her readiness to chat about current topics of interest. Meeting a schoolmate of hers the next day the writer alluded to this. "Oh, yes," was the reply she was gay enough then, poor child, but she is almost broken hearted, notwithstanding her vivacity." A few questions brought out the whole sad story. General Sickles first wife, the mother of his daughter, as will be remembered, was connected with the famous scandal with Philip Barton Key, the District Attorney at Washington D. C., Sickles shot Key in 1859, and killed him, and was tried for his murder and was acquitted. His wife died shortly after, and before her daughter was old enough to understand the disgrace of it all. General Sickles, with jealous watchfulness, kept the facts connected with her mother's share in the tragedy a secret from his daughter, and she knew nothing about it until she was nearly nineteen. She was a sensitive, loving girl, and worshiped the memory of her mother, whom she had been taught to love, and she frequently spoke of her to her friends. Miss Sickles went to school in Baltimore, and one day while reciting in class she had a slight quarrel with a girl from Washington. After school a number of girls were seated together, and among them Miss Sickles and the girl with whom she had the quarel. Miss Sickles apologized for what she had said, but the other girl refused to be comforted, and finally grew very angry and began to taunt Miss Sickles about the terrible story of her mother's wrong doing. Miss Sickles demanded an explanation, which was given and the poor young lady almost lost her reason in the attack of illness which followed. She left the school when she recovered her health and soon afterward joined her father. It was said she acted very wildly toward him for keeping the story hidden from her, and reproached him bitterly. The effect of the revelation was that Miss Sickles manner and actions changed from what she had been before, and she began to worry her father by her apparent heartlessness and fondness for the excitement connected with the life of a belle in an American city like Washington.

THE GRANGERS.

The meeting of the State Grange which commenced on Tuesday, was largely attended, there being between 300 and 400 members present from different portions of the State. Among the most prominent members are Col. V. E. Piollet of Bradford county, and Rev. Dr. Calder, of the Pennsylvania State Agricultural College. This organization as represented here is a very substantial and respectable lodge, being composed of well-to do and educated farmers. The female members all appear like cultivated and refined ladies.

The Session was secret with the exception of Wednesday night; when a public meeting was held. Mr. Holstein of Montgomery county presided, and R. S. Searle of Susquehanna county and E. W. Tewksbury of Columbia were appointed secretaries. Remarks were made by Dr. Calder Col. Piollet, Mrs. Holstein and others, and readings and selections were given by Miss Brewer and Mrs. Diehl. The latter lady on being introduced said she was not a Granger though she considered herself eligible, for she was the daughter of a farmer, and in her youth had learned to spin, to make butter, cheese and soft-soap. The large audience was entertained until ten o'clock, when the meeting adjourned.

The Court of Wayne county sentenced a number of saloon keepers to pay fines of $200 for violations of the liquor law, and some of them went to jail because they could not pay it. The Law Library Association of that county gets the fines, for the purchase of books for the public library. They compromised with the offenders by taking from them $50 apiece, and gave receipts for $200, and released the prisoners. This was in effect a pardon to the extent of $150, and was not creditable to the association, nor conducive to the proper administration of justice. The law of the State designates the only pardoning power, and it does not seem as though criminals ought to be released through a pardon from any other source until the sentence of the court has been complied with.

News from all Around.

—Ex-Empress Eugenie will go direct from Spain to Zuinland to pray on the spot where the Prince Imperial met his death.

—The heaviest cotton crop gathered in Texas in one year, before the war, was 200,000 bales. The crop this year will reach 1,000,000 bales.

—Jay Gould tells a St. Louis reporter that he has just ended a trip on 2,000 miles of railroads controled by himself. The whole run was made in eight days.

—Rudford Waters, a colored boy, was hanged at Elkton, Md., last Friday for the murder of Jenkins Whaley also colored, in November 1878.

—The Bradford *Era* reports that salt water in large quantities has been found in the Southern part of McKean county. Its presence indicates bad territory for the oil operator, and has condemned thousands of acres that were hitherto regarded as good.

—The correspondent of the Shenandoah *Herald* claims to have been informed by reliable parties that Messrs. Charles Parish & Co. have agents in New York sending men to their mines to be used in mining coal. There is a scarcity of miners in the anthracite field.

—It is said that in order to meet the increased demands of the cattle trade, which is anticipated in the near future, upward of seventy steamers are now on the stocks in the shipyards of England and Scotland being built expressly for this interest.

—The California prejudice against Orientals does not extend to the Japanese, apparently, for the San Francisco *Chronicle* says: "Yesterday was the 2,540th year of the Japanese dynasty. This nation, which traces its history further back into the slumbering past than any other nation on the face of the globe, is one of the foremost of modern countries, its inhabitants intelligent and progressive, and advancing rapidly in art, science, commerce, and literature. The members of the Japanese Consulate in our own city, thoughtful, earnest men, with bright, intellectual faces, are regarded with the highest esteem by our people.

The Irish agitation still continues. Thomas Brennan was arrested last week charged with using seditious language and with endeavoring to reduce the police from their allegiance to the government. On the night of his removal from the Court House to prison great crowds, with blazing tar barrels, followed the car in which he was conveyed, cheering the prisoner and hooting the police. The crowd stopped the car, but, as it was well guarded, no rescue was attempted. Subsequently the police by order of a magistrate, seized a tar barrel when the crowd dispersed precipitately, there is a great excitement at Castlebar and in its neighborhood.

—George W. Chatterton, a respected citizen of Springfield, Illinois was sued for a divorce a few weeks ago by a woman who calls herself Mrs Cornelia Chatterton. The defendant proves that he never was married to the woman by a declaration in the handwriting of Abraham Lincoln, who, when he penned the declaration in 1844, was a lawyer in Springfield. The manuscript is neat with all the "i's" dotied and every "t" crossed. It shows that in 1844 Chatterton sued one Cornelia Wilcox for defamation of character. Lincoln gained his case and relieved Chatterton of any responsibility to the State on account of Miss Wilcox.

—The London correspondent of the Manchester Guardian says: "Mr. Thomas Bayley Porter, member of parliament for Rochdale, who recently visited the United States, on his reappearance in London has been warmly greeted by his friends. The people of the United States, Mr. Potter thinks, differ in some important points from our own. They do not, he says, make fortunes there in order to found landed families, and the consequence is that possessors of large fortunes more often devote them to the public welfare. The mass of the people are sober, and therefore able to work more continuously, if not harder, than our people.

Mr. Potter speaks enthusiastically of the progress and prospects of the United States and of the solidity of the republican institutions of that country.

—Fourteen human skulls, ranged around in a circle, were found on an island in Tulare lake, California, a few weeks ago. The mysterious reminders of some lost romance were in the middle of the island, a small patch of grass, thick brush and pigmy cottonwood trees. No other bones could be found near them. Near by on the shore of the island were two huts of basket work but both were untenanted. Tulare lake is probably one of the most mysterious spots on the continent. It is 300 miles south of San Francisco, on a great plain. As the traveler approaches the water seems to be higher than the land. The dry land of the plain gives place to the damp soil a mile or so before water is reached. When the margin is found at least one may wade out for more than a mile and not get in above the knee. The lake runs forty miles one way and has a breadth of about thirty miles

The bottom is formed of powdered clam shells, and there are hundreds of small islands and bunches of tules. Millions of white birds of the gull kind tenant the islands, flock high in the air or skim the still water. In the Indian summer just pass the whole lake was veiled in mist. Mounds have been found along the shore, and before many months the whole bottom will be inspected, in the belief that it will show traces of a submerged city.

—At the Coliseum Variety Theatre, in Kansas City, recently, Herr Guise, a magician, strode along the stage and made his low salaam to the dancing girls. Around the neck, in the pockets and under the fantastic cap of the magician were seven snakes a tree snake, a hoop snak, a boa and various kinds of rattle snakes. The boys in the gallery shouted, whistled and screamed. Herr Guise did several tricks with his pets. The dancing girls were persuaded to let the constrictor coil about their ankles, binding as with a chain a dozen pairs together. It was a wonderful performance the magician showing trick after trick, with clever sallies now and then. At one point a boy in the audience called out that the snakes were without fangs, and therefore were harmless. "Come up to de stage, mine poy," said the performer. The boy leaped over the footlights and stood at the performers side. Herr Guise threw a confident "now see" at the lad and taking a toothpick pressed open the mouth of one of the reptiles that the fangs might be shown. The reptile's mouth opened, but in an instant its fangs were buried to the roots in the magician's hand. Herr Guise at once ran from the stage and drank seven large tumblers of whiskey. Before stupor fell upon him he sucked the venom from the wounds. Nevertheless his hand and arm became frightfully swollen and he was put to bed more dead than alive. The Kansas City *Times*, of Wednesday, says that the man's recovery is not expected.

Small Business for a Judge.

Judge Orvis of Bellfonte is acknowledged as an accomplished lawyer and a man of learning. In cases similar to that which follows, if this most wise Judge continues the course which he has marked out, he will gain a reputation for the exercise of arbitrary power, not to say meanness, that will at least—or if it does not it should—deprive him of all prospects of preferment hereafter, besides disgusting thinking people with the Judge as a Judge. Old Jeffreys was "probably never more contemptibly arbitrary. The Bellfonte "Watchman" says: A strange and to many a startling exhibition of power occurred in the Court House in this place on Wednesday last. The regular quarter session term was being proceeded with, and two prisoners, mere boys, who had pleaded guilty to breaking into the rail road ticket office at Philipsburg and robbing of it some $14, were called up for sentence. After a short lecture by Judge Orvis he pronounced the sentence of three years and eleven months solitary confinement in the Western penitentiary on each, and as they turned to go with the Sheriff one of them petulantly remarked to the Judge; 'I wish I had a chance to sentence you for 3 years.' He was immediately called back, and for this 'contempt of court had an additional three years added to his sentence, making in all six years and eleven months. Whether this exhibition of power in the hands of the court will deter other criminals from speaking disrespectfully to it or not only time will teach, but such an exhibiton of feeling on the part of a Judge is not calculated to increase the respect that the people, who are not criminals, generally try to entertain for courts of justice."

The Census.

The question of the appointment of the supervisors of the next census is among the prominent topics of discussion in Congressional circles. The law provides for the selection of 150 of these officials, and although the salary attached to the position is but $500 a year, and the duties are arduous, there are many considerations which render the office very desirable. The supervisors have the power of selecting all the enumerators in their respective districts, and the opportunity for the exercise of local patronage could hardly be surpassed. The Democrats claim a voice in naming the supervisors, and as the senate must confirm the nominees, all who are not satisfactory to the Democrats will be rejected. General Walker, the superintendent of census, says that in the selection of supervisors he will be guided solely by the qualifications of the candidates, irrespective of their political affiliations, so that the Democrats will not be afforded the pretext of preventing the taking of the next census, by rejecting the President's nominations for supervisors, upon the ground that they are Republican partisans.

This is the opinion of William Almon Wheeler, the fraudulent vice president, as given to a reporter for the Washington *Post*, anent the approaching presidential contest: "You see, the grand battle will be fought in New York next year, and the democrats have the advantage of us in being able to concentrate their forces. Starting with their 138 Southern electoral vote solid, they have but to gain the two states of New York and Indiana, in the north, and their victory is complete. The Republicans, on the other hand, must struggle to keep intact what they have already gained. Besides combating the democrats in the two states I have mentioned, they must make a sharp campaign in Ohio, New Jersey, Connecticut and New Hampshire. We have, in fact, to fight all over the country."

Judge Pearson filed his opinion on Monday in the bribery cases. It favors the defendant. Evidence will be heard by the Court on the points raised, but as it will be the same as in the Salter case there is not much doubt but that the indictments will be quashed.

Now that the hard times are nearly over Congressman Hendrick B. Wright's, committee on the causes of the depression is about ready to make its report.

A stout backbone is as essential to physical health as to political consistency. For weakness of the back and disorders of the liver and kidneys, the tonic and moderate dietetic action of the bitters is the one thing needful. Remember that the stomach is the mainstay of every other organ, and that by invigorating the digestion by this preparation, the spinal column and its depend acies are strengthened.

For Hostetter's ALMANAC for 1880 apply to Druggists and dealers Generally

—At Brockton Mass. last Friday three men were suffocated by being buried under three thousand bushels of corn. They were shoveling the corn in the second story of a mill, when the floor gave way and precipitated them in the cellar. When found they were dead.

—Although persons of alien antecedents are seldom raised to the British bench, it is said that Judah P. Benjamin, the famous Ex-Confederate lawyer in London, is very likely to be appointed to a vacancy on the bench of the Court of Exchequer.

We have a speedy and positive cure, for catarrh, diptheria, canker mouth, and head ache, in Shiloh's catarrh remedy. A nasal injector free with each bottle. Use it and you desire health, and sweet breath. Price 50 cents. Sold by J. H. Kinports.

A Strange Peop e.

Do you know that there are strange people in our community, we say strange because they seem to prefer to suffer and pass their days miserably, made so by dyspepsia, and liver Complaint, when Shiloh's constipation, and general debility, when Shiloh's vitalizer is guaranteed to cure them. Sold by J. H. Kinports.

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In the past few months there has been more than 500,000 bottles of Shiloh's cure sold. Out of the vast number of people who have used it, more than 2,000 cases of consumption have been cured. All coughs, croup, asthma, and bronchitis, yield at once hence it is that every body speaks in its praise. To those who have not used it, let us say, if you have a cough or your child the croup and you value life don't fail to try it. For lame back, side or chest, use Shiloh's porous plaster. Sold by J. H. Kinports.

MARKET REPORTS.

BLOOMSBURG MARKET.

Wheat per bushel	$1.25
Rye "	.50
Corn, new, "	.40
Oats, "	.30
Flour per barrel	7.00
Cloverseed	3.50
Flaxseed	1.50
Butter	.25
Eggs	.20
Tallow	.07
Potatoes	.35
Dried Apples	.05
Hams	12½
Sides & shoulders	.10
Lard per pound	.07
Hay per ton	12.00
Beeswax	.25
Timothy Seed	2.50

QUOTATIONS FOR COAL.

No. 4 on Wharf	$ 3.60 per Ton
No. 6 " "	$ 3.35 "
No. 6 " "	$ 3.75 "
Blacksmith's Lump on Wharf	$ 3.50 "
" Bituminous "	$ 4.50 "

PHILADELPHIA MARKETS.

Wholesale prices at the close of trade on Tuesday.

Buckwheat flour per cwt	$2 50 to $2 65
Wheat flour "	7 00 " 7 50
Wheat per bushel	1 50 " 1 60
Corn "	50 " 60
" "	47 " 50
Rye "	90
Barley "	70 " 80
Dressed hogs, per pound	6¾ " 6¾
Butter " " according to quality	17 " 35
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LACKAWANNA & BLOOMSBURG RAIL ROAD

	NORTH.	SOUTH.
Accommodation Train,.....		7.28A. M.
Mail Train	7.39 A. M	4.49 P. M
Fast Train	12.00 M.	11.45 A.M
Express Train	8.56 P. M.	

CATAWISSA RAIL ROAD.

	NORTH.	SOUTH
Accommodation Train	6.39 A. M.	7.56 P. M.
Regular Express	4.06 P. M.	11.45 A. M.

Through cars on Express train either to New York or Philadelphia. Accommodation train runs between Catawissa and Williamsport.

STAGE LINES.

CAMBRA AND BLOOMSBURG.—Leave Cambra Monday, Wednesday and Friday at 6:30 a. m., arrive at Bloomsburg by 11:30 a. m. Leave Bloomsburg on same days after arrival of Philadelphia mail.

BLOOMSBURG AND LAIRDSVILLE.—Leave Lairdsville Tuesday, Thursday and Saturday at 7:30 a. m., arriving at Bloomsburg by 12 m. Leave Bloomsburg on same days after arrival of Philadelphia mail The stage line terminates at Millville.

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PUBLIC SALES.

E. M. Tewksbury, Committee, will sell valuable real estate on the premises in Catawisa, on Wednesday, December 31, 1879.

☞ See Advertisement in another column.

We were unable to make the mails on Thursday by reason of a large amount of legal advertising coming in unexpectedly so late that we could not get the forms ready at the usual time.

Frank Wilson has been added to the force at I. W. Hartman's store.

The hotels have all been full to overflowing this week.

The Teachers' Institute was well attended. Full proceedings will be published next week.

We will give our readers next week so much of the proceedings of the State Grange as the Secretaries will permit us to publish.

J. L. Girton cut a pumpkin last week that weighed 142 pounds, and measured 7 feet in circumference. Who can beat that?

Captain Ent's commission as Sheriff of Columbia county was received on Wednesday morning.

In his remarks at the Opera House last Wednesday night, Col. V. E. Piolett paid a high compliment to the Exchange Hotel and its proprietors.

I. W. McKelvy's new grocery department will soon be ready for occupancy. Charles Krug is doing the work.

Plenty of rain has fallen during the past few days, and, there will probably be no more complaint of the scarcity of water this winter.

Charles Funston has recovered from his recent illness, and has resumed his position behind the counter of Clark & Son.

B. Stohner offers a rare opportunity to any one desiring to purchase a fine farm. It is convenient to town and in good condition. See advertisement.

We received a pleasant call from R. H. Thomas Jr. of the *Farmers Friend*, published at Mechanicsburg, on Tuesday. He is here attending the Grange meeting.

The hunting and killing of partridges, pheasants, wild turkeys, squirrels, rabbits and deer, is only permitted by law to the 31st of this month.

While John Dodson was on an extension ladder painting the house of O. T. Wilson the rope broke and he was caught between the two sections of the ladder. He might have been seriously injured.

WANTED—DRIED APPLES,
by P. Billmeyer.

A gas post has been erected at the D. L. & W. depot, and a handsome lamp placed thereon. This was a much needed improvement,

In digging out the ground for the foundation of Moyer Bros' oil house near the depot, the main gas pipe was unearthed. The pipe will probably have to be removed.

In the report of Sheriff's sales last week the price paid by Mrs. Petrikin for lumber yard of E. Mendenhall should have read $5.00 instead of $500.

The boys thus far have had no use for skates and sleds, and the dealers in those articles are beginning to think that the clerk of the weather is not doing just the right thing.

Isaac C. Foster was run over and killed by the cars in Williamsport last Friday evening. The train was switching back and forth, and he attempted to cross the track after being warned by the employees.

Williamsport is to have a soldiers' monument. Bloomsburg came near having one some years ago, but the subject has been dropped. Why not revive it?

The Plymouth *Record* says that the republicans of Columbia county talk of starting a new paper. We suppose they want something which they can rely on.

P. H. Smith, Esq., of Plymouth, Wis., a son-in-law of Judge Elwell, has been elected member of the Senate of that State by the Democrats.

Our Rohrsburg correspondence came last week too late for insertion, but as it is interesting we print it now. All communications should be sent in not later than Wednesday noon.

The remains of Mrs. Caroline McDowell, wife of Albert McDowell, late of Lightstreet, were brought from Philadelphia and taken to Lightstreet for interment on Tuesday.

The sale of the personal property of the estate of John Laycock, deceased, advertised for last Monday, was postponed until Saturday the 13th at 1 o'clock p. m.

Rev. S. Mitchell, D. D, will deliver a lecture at the Opera House this Friday evening, December 12th, for the benefit of the Presbyterian parsonage fund. The subject is "From Geneva to the Glaciers," and will no doubt be a highly instructive and entertaining discourse, and should be liberally patronized. Tickets for sale at G. A. Clark's. Admission 25 cents.

Appleton's series of Readers have been introduced into the Normal School. This action has been taken after a careful examination of the books and satisfactory evidence that they are the best published. S. J. Drinkwater of Williamsport is the general agent for Appletons' publications.

Mr. Samuel Hagenbuch of Lightstreet will please accept our thanks for a basket of the finest apples we have seen for a long time. They are large and luscious, pleasing to the eye as well as to the taste. We appreciate his gift, as well as his promptness in always paying cash in advance for his subscription.

The Young Men's Christian Association will hold their anniversary at the Lutheran church next Tuesday evening. Music will be furnished by Prof. Niles, and will of course be good. Appropriate and interesting exercises will be on the programme.

Danville post, Grand Army of the Republic had a meeting at Danville, last Monday evening. The meeting was attended by quite a number from this county. It was resolved that the body attend the reception of General Grant in Philadelphia, free transportation being offered.

The Christmas Catalogue issued by George A. Clark has been presented to us. It is a complete guide to persons wishing to make selections for Christmas books, is beautifully illustrated with cuts from the books named, and is not only a handsome advertisement but a book worth preserving for future reference.

William Gilmore has received a fine assortment of toys for the Holidays. Also a full line of fine candies. Go there for your Christmas presents.

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J. T. Headley's "Life and Travels of General Grant" is the only genuine work in the market. Beware of counterfeits that sell for a trifle less.

Rev. Bishop Gilmour of Cleveland, Ohio, has used the Great German Remedy, St. Jacob's Oil, and endorses it highly. He writes about it as follows:—I am pleased to say that the use of St. Jacob's Oil has benefited me greatly, and I have no hesitation to recommend it to all as an excellent curative.

The Berwick *Independent* is now printed entirely at home, the patent outside having been discarded. The present proprietor seems determined to make of it what never has been done with a newspaper in Berwick before, that is, a success, and we hope he may accomplish his desire. The paper is very much improved under his management thus far.

C. R. Woodin of Berwick, the assignee of the Columbia Iron Manufacturing Company, sold some receiver's certificates of the Oswego & Midland Railroad in the New York Stock Exchange and as no one bid higher than $26 he bought them in at $27. He afterwards sold them at $54 and turned the profits over to the creditors instead of pocketing it himself as he had a clear right to do. This profit amounted to $1167 which has just been distributed among the creditors by an auditor. There are not many assignees who do business in that manner.

It should be the aim of every owner of Horses, Cows, to make them as handsome and useful as possible. The German Horse and Cow Powder helps to develop all the powers of the animal. It improves its beauty and increases its usefulness It makes milk, muscle and fat. By using it a horse will do more work and a cow give more milk and be in better condition with less feed. Sold only by weight at 15 cents a pound by C. A. Klein, Bloomsburg

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We announce with sorrow the death of Mrs Leckler of New Castle, Delaware, mother of Mrs. L. Zahner. Mr. and Mrs. Zahner were summoned on Thursday of last week to go down, as Mrs. Lecker was very ill, and on Sunday the painful news came back that she was no more. She had spent considerable time here with her daughter and made many warm friends, who will mourn with the family in their great bereavement.

THE SUSQUEHANA TO BE SURVEYED.—Surveys are being made to ascertain whether the Susquehanna river cannot be made navigable. Engineer Alricks, of Harrisburg, has been making soundings and says the river can be made to render possible the passage of steamboats. From 15 to 25 feet of water has been found in long stretches, during the present low stage of water, and the small bars connecting these channels can be cut through and dredged. The facts will be reported to Congress for action.—*Mt. Joy Star.*

ORANGEVILLE ITEMS.

Most of the public schools in this vicinity are closed in order that the teachers may have an opportunity of attending the Institute now in session.

The number of pupils at the Academy is still increasing. Monday evening two new ones from Pittsburgh.

Col. Ricketts of Wilkes Barre spent the Sabbath with his mother in this place.

The mud in the road through Orangeville is a little less than a foot deep. It is rather humiliating to hear people say that Orangeville has the worst roads in Columbia county. Why can't we have a road like Lightstreet?

James L. Williams has left school and is clerking for Low & Son.

A protracted meeting is holding at the M. E. Church. The pastor, Rev. Mr. Cree, conducts the meetings.

BETSY TROTWOOD.

EDITING A NEWSPAPER.

There are people who think it an easy matter to edit a newspaper; there are those who think any man of education can succeed in the profession. But the truth is, there are comparatively few men who succeed in it, and for the reason that they do not regard it as a profession, requiring study and preparation. It is also a laborious profession when pursued with industry sufficient to insure success. The Boston *Post* furnishes a paragraph which gives a great deal of truth in a few lines: A good editor, a competent newspaper conductor, is, like a general or a poet, born not made. On the London daily papers, all the great historians, novelists, poets, essayists, and writers of travels have been tried, and nearly all have failed. We might say all, for, after a display of brilliancy, brief, but grand, they died out, literally. Their resources were exhausted. 'I can,' said a late editor of the *Times* to Moore, 'find any number of men of genius to write for me, but very seldom one of common sense.' The 'Thunderers' in the *Times*, therefore, have, so far as we know, been men of common sense. Nearly all successful editors have been men of this description. Campbell, Carlyle, Bulwer, and Disraeli failed; Barnes, Sterling, and Phillips succeeded. A good editor seldom writes for his paper: he reads, judges, selects, dictates, alters, and combines; and to do all this well, he has but little time for composition. To write for a paper is one thing, to edit a paper is another.—*Printers Circulars.*

On Wednesday of last week Miss Amelia A. Boone of this city died of congestive chills, after an illness of only three days. Deceased was a sister of Mrs. A. H. Parry and had resided in this City about twenty-five years. Religious services were conducted at the house by Rev. A. Bushnell, and the remains taken by carriage to Viola, Mercer county, in charge of Col. Alf Perry where they were interred in the family burying ground.—*Republic*, Geneseo, Ill. Nov. 28.

The above mentioned lady was a daughter of the late James Boone who previous to his removal to Illinois owned and resided upon one of the river farms below town. Deceased and her sister Ellen were here on a visit a little over a year ago spending several weeks among her numerous relatives. Her mother was a Barton.—*Journal.*

Executors' Administrators' Guardians' and Trustees' Receipt Books bound in Reynol's covers, just printed at this office. Books with 100 receipts only 40 cents. Books containing smaller numbers bound in a few moments. tf.

COURT PROCEEDINGS.

December 4th, Commonwealth vs. J. Fredericks, jury called, verdict not guilty, but to pay costs.

Commonwealth vs Z. T. Beagle, assault and battery; jury called. Verdict, not guilty, prosecutor, Abner Evans to pay costs.

Same day prosecutor sentenced to pay costs or give bail for same to sheriff.

Commonwealth vs Bloomsburg Town Council not repairing street. A true bill.

Grand jury made their final report and were discharged with the thanks of the court for their promptness.

REPORT.

To the Honorable, the Judges of the court of quarter sessions of the peace of the county of Columbia, at December sessions, A. D. 1879.

The Grand Inquest of the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania, inquiring for the body of the county of Columbia, respectfully report: That we have pursuant to our required duties, calmly and deliberately investigated all the Bills of Indictment, presented for our consideration, and have passed upon them according to their merits.

That we have examined the public build ings and find the plastering in the rear of the hall (Court House) on first floor to be in a bad condition, and recommend that it be repaired at once.

The lock on the vault, in the Sheriff's office, is considerably out of repair, and not safe for the safe keeping of the Sheriff's papers, and we do recommend that it be repaired at once.

The safe in the Treasurer's office, we find too small, and deficient for the safe keeping of the money and valuables of the county, and we do recommend that a new and sufficiently large safe be purchased at once.

We recommend that the stone in the wall surrounding the old jail yard, be sold separate from the old jail building, if the same can be sold advantageously, if not we recommend that the whole property known as the old jail, be sold as soon as a satisfactory price can be obtained. We recommend that window lights be bought and put in the several windows in the jail, wherever found to be broken out.

These recommendations we make for the good of the buildings, and safety of the county's interests. We call attention to these matters, and most respectfully submit this our report.

F. S. HUNT, Foreman of the Grand Jury.

Sheriff's deeds were acknowledged in open court.

Commonwealth vs W W Clayton. Recognizance forfeited to be respited at next sessions on appearance of defendant.

Report of viewers of road in Pine township confirmed absolutely.

Report of viewers of a road in Scott township confirmed *nisi*.

Annual report of the Law Library committee presented and directed to be entered of record in the common pleas docket.

Commonwealth vs William Baumeister. Charge, desertion. Opinion of court filed.

On petition J. R. Evans appointed guardian of Wallace and Esther Evans.

Report of viewers of road in Madison township confirmed *nisi*.

Court adjourned Thursday afternoon until Saturday morning, when the argument list was taken up and the entire list disposed of.

SECOND WEEK.

December 8. Auditor's report in estate of Jacob Bomboy, confirmed *nisi*.

Auditor's report in matter of distribution of money in hands of assignee of Columbia Iron Manufacturing Company confirmed *nisi*.

Auditor's report in estate of Benjamin Miller deceased, confirmed *nisi*.

Partition awarded in estate of Harriet Reifsnyder, deceased.

E. Shutt and C. K. Hughes appointed tipstaves.

In the matter of road in Beaver and Roaringcreek townships, court direct a new order to be issued bearing date of original and to be marked continued, the process to be as in original order.

In the matter of the division line between Fishingcreek and briarcreek townships refered back to the Commissioners with instructions and confirmation nisi stricken off.

Report of road in Centralia borough referred back to viewers.

Opinion filed in the matter of the application of the Presbyterian church of Bloomsburg for amendment of charter.

Bogart vs Bogart. Divorce. Opinion filed granting an issue.

Elias Miller vs P & R R Co. Rule to show cause why fi. fa. for costs should not be stayed Rule made absolute.

Estate of Geo. Longenberger deceased. Opinion of court filed in matter of exceptions to report of auditor to second and third accounts of executor.

On petition of William Martz he was discharged as administrator of Ludwig Thiele, deceased.

Citation to James McAlarney, executor, &c. Opinion filed.

Conrad Bredbender vs John Hoofnagle. Jury called, verdict for plaintiff.

Exceptions filed to Auditor's report in estate of B Miller, deceased.

Exceptions filed to auditors' report in estate of Jacob Bomboy, deceased.

Auditor's report in estate of Samuel Mears deceased, confirmed *nisi*.

The following orders were made by the court on Tuesday. And now, December 9, 1879 ordered that the number of persons to be selected and placed in the jury wheel to serve as jurors for the ensuing year be and the same is hereby fixed at five hundred.

Ordered, that venires be issued for a grand jury in the Over and Terminer for February sessions 1880, and also for thirty-six traverse jurors in the Over and Terminer and quarter sessions of the first week of said sessions, also for a like number in the common pleas for the second week of said term.

Robert Buckingham, Esq. was appointed auditor of the accounts of the Prothonotary Clerk of the courts, and Register and Recorder of Columbia county, as required by Act of Assembly.

Samuel Knorr, E. R. Ikeler and C. G. Barkley, Esqs. were appointed committee of the Columbia county law library for the ensuing year.

Assignees accounts confirmed absolutely.

Commonwealth vs John Ridinger and William Mansfield. These prisoners were brought in court on Tuesday morning, having been convicted of assault and battery last week. The court sentenced them each to pay a fine of $15 and costs of prosecution and undergo imprisonment in the county jail for two calendar months.

Commonwealth vs J Frederick. Exceptions filed to Commonwealth's bill of costs.

Rule on heirs to accept or refuse real estate at appraised value in estate of Nancy Linden deceased.

Sale ordered in estate of Jacob Bower, deceased.

J. A. Whiting vs W. Milnes' executors, case tried, verdict for defendant.

Report of viewers of road in Fishingcreek township, confirmed *nisi*.

Reuben Gibbons, N. A. Tubbs and S. P. Knickbaum appointed viewers to vacate road in Fishingcreek township.

See a woman on horseback in another column, riding near Speer's Vineyards, with a bunch of Grapes from which Speer's Port Grape Wine is made, that is so highly esteemed by the medical profession for the use of invalids weakly persons and the aged.

Sold by Druggists.

June 27 1-y.

Vendue notes waiving stay of execution and exemption, with stubs; just printed at this office. Books containing any number of notes desired can be bound in a few moments. tf.

Sherman & Co., Marshall, Mich., want an agent in this county at once, at a salary of $100 per month and expenses paid. For full particulars address as above. Nov. 21-1y.

ROHRSBURG NEWS.

Thanksgiving day was not observed here, only by family dinners; as there was no service in the church es.

The people of Jackson are rejoicing in protracted meeting continued since the dedication. Returning from meeting there last Thursday evening, Elmer Reece met with a misfortune and brought his buggy home on three wheels.

Mrs. Jane Long has been visiting her son at Benton for some time. She returned last Saturday and after attending to her affairs here will leave for Lock Haven to spend the winter with her son Charles S. Long, formerly of Fishingcreek.

Mrs. Jesse Moss, of Red Rock, and her sister Miss Anna Keller, have been visiting their mother for a few days.

We are anticipating a grand supply of venison soon as Mr. W. Bogart is now at the North Mountain.

Mr. Lorenzo Mendenhall of Iowa is visiting his friends and relatives here.

The schools are in full blast now and are quite a success.

Several of the young people here are availing themselves of the benefits of Orangeville Academy; four are now attending and several attended during the summer that now are attending our public schools.

Perry, youngest son of Thos. and Harriet Reece, returned from school Tuesday, 18th of last month feeling slightly ill but did not complain much. The family physician was soon called, but the best medical aid and careful nursing was of no avail and on Friday morning he breathed his last. Perry was a bright, attractive little boy of a genial disposition.

He is gone, the fondly cherished
Gone to taste eternal joy;
Like a frail flower he perished.
Death has claimed their little boy.

POOR PEN.

BERWICK LETTER.

EDS. COLUMBIAN:

Am almost at a loss what to say this week, so little having occurred in our town, that might be of interest to your readers, since my last appearance in the columns of THE COLUMBIAN. Probably the most marked feature of the week's occurrences was the meeting of our literary society last Friday evening, where was discussed the influence of Fate on humanity in the form, "Is man the architect of his own Fortune." Dr. Freas persuasively argued in the affirmative, aided by Mr. Stiles; while L. Thompson with the assistance of Rev. Cattell convinced the judges that the fickle goddess fortune alike smiles and frowns upon the efforts of man, who must needs obey her will. Luck is what Bret Harte calls that strange influence that seems to exert itself over the destinies of men; good and bad luck alternately falls to the lot of man, and it is the knowing when a man has a streak of good luck that is the making of him. The other exercises of the evening were a declamation by G. Kester and a reading by Mr. Stiles.

Revivals are in progress in the M. E. and Evangelical churches, the latter apparently taking the lead because more successful; this church has by no means an inferior pastor in the person of Rev. Ettinger. His thanksgiving sermon marks him as a man familiar with what is going on in this lower world of ours, and accomplished in a literary sense.

The school boys and girls this week are holding high carnival, there being no school. Their teachers are enjoying the pleasures of a crowded town in your place, and no doubt receiving valuable ideas on school methods at the annual county institute.

Berwick, Pa., Dec. 9, '79. REPORTER.

WHO PAYS THE COSTS?

At every term of Court, speculation is indulged in as to "who pays the costs," in actions at law. The following will give the desired information.

In the following cases the county is not liable to costs.

1. If the grand jury return a bill "ignoramus" in a case other than felony, and order the prosecutor to pay the costs, and the prosecutor having been sentenced to pay them, is committed, and then discharged according to law, without having paid them, the county is not liable to costs.

2. Nor is the county liable if a bill be found a "true bill," and the defendant having been tried and acquitted, and ordered by the petit jury to pay them, and is committed and discharged according to law, the costs not being paid.

3. Nor if the defendant is acquitted and the prosecutor is ordered by the petit jury to pay the costs, who, after being sentenced by the court to pay them, is committed and discharged according to law, the costs being unpaid.

4. Where a defendant indicted for a misdemeanor is acquitted by the petit jury, and the jury does not determine whether the county, the prosecutor or the defendant shall pay the costs of prosecution, as they are required to do by the act of 8th of December, 1804, the costs are not to be paid by the county.

5. Where an indictment has been returned "a true bill," the prosecuting attorney cannot enter nolle prosequi without the consent of the court, and charge the county with the costs of the prosecution.

In the following cases the county is liable to pay the costs.

1. Where a defendant is convicted by a jury and is legally discharged without having paid the costs.

2. When in cases of surety of the peace the court directs the county to pay the costs.

3. When the grand jury ignore a bill and direct the county to pay the costs, and when the petit jury acquit the defendant and direct the county to pay the costs.

4. In cases of felony, when the grand jury ignore the bill, and when the defendant is acquitted by the petit jury.

5. In all cases where the defendant is found guilty and sentenced to pay a fine and costs of prosecution, or give security to pay the same within ten days or go to jail, and defendant goes to jail and comes out under the bond act, the county is liable.

THE WONDERFUL CHRISTMAS NUMBER OF ST. NICHOLAS.

This monthly magazine for girls and boys, edited by Mrs. Mary Mapes Dodge, has grown in circulation so rapidly as to warrant a permanent increase in size, beginning with November. The Christmas number, now ready, has a special holiday cover, and is the largest and most beautiful issue of any magazine for girls and boys ever published containing more than one hundred pages and ninety-five pictures.

It contains twelve short stories by J. T. Trowbridge, Washington Gladden, J. W. De Forest, Maurice Thompson Sarah Winter Kellogg, and others; also the first chapters of a serial story by Louisa M. Alcott, written in the author's best vein, and the second instalment of a capital serial for the boys, by William O. Stoddard, to run some months. (A long story, also for boys, by Noah Brooks, author of 'The Boy Emigrants,' will begin soon.) John Greenleaf Whittier contributes a long poem, while Lucy Larcom and Mary Mapes Dodge are also represented in verse. There is a Christmas Play for Festivals, by Edward Eggleston; an illustrated art-paper on Thorvaldsen, and an account, with twelve pictures, of the life and doings of New York Telegraph Boys.

Gustave Dore, Knaus, Mary Hallock Foote, Kelly, Diehman, Bensell, Sheppard, Eytinge, Jessie Curtis and Addie Ledyard are among the artists represented.

Buy this number and see what St. Nicholas is. Your newsdealer will supply it and take your subscription for the year, or the money may be sent in check, P. O. order or registered letter to the publishers. Price, $3.00 a year, 25 cents a number.

SCRIBNER & Co., 743 Broadway, New-York.

FIRST EDITION, 100,000.

So rapidly are orders increasing for the December Scribner that it is thought the first edition of 100,000 will not supply the demand. One cause of the recent increase in circulation, by which one hundred thousand November numbers were sold in two weeks, is undoubtedly due to the growing interest in the two serials, Henry James, Jr.'s 'Confidence,' which is one of his most fascinating character studies, and George W. Cable's novel of New Orleans life, 'The Grandissimes.' This latter, begun in November, will be the leading serial story of the year. Mr. Cable's 'Old Creole Days' has attracted wide attention, and this, his first novel promises to be among the strongest and most important works of fiction that have yet appeared in American literature. A new serial story by Mrs. Burnett, author of '*That Lass O' Lowrie's*,' has also been secured, and will begin in an early number. The special attractions of the December number include twenty poems by American women, comprising verse by many of our most prominent women writers; 'Two Visits to Victor Hugo,' by H. H. Boyesen with a large portrait engraved by Cole; an illustrated description of the Johns Hopkins University, and an interesting paper by Burroughs on 'Nature and the Poets.' 'The New Capitol at Albany' is critically described in an article of eighteen pages, with the aid of twenty-three drawings, and there are illustrated papers on 'Coffee Culture in Brazil,' 'Success with Small Fruits,' etc. etc.

'The Reign of Peter the Great,' by Eugene Schuyler, will begin in the February number. The illustrations for the first of this splendid series of Historical Papers are now almost completed, and include reproductions of famous Russian paintings, cut on the wood by American engravers, who are pronounced by the *London Saturday Review* 'the best in the world.' Sold, and subscriptions received, by book-sellers and news-dealers, at $4.00 a year, 35 cents a number. 'A Portfolio of Proof Impressions' of the best engravings from the pages of Scribner and St. Nicholas (edition limited to 1,000) will be ready about December 1st Price $10 See December Scribner for extended notices. Scribner & Co., New York.

Alexander & Woodhouse opened their new tobacco and cigar store in the Opera House block on Thursday of last week. On that night the glass in the front door was broken, the door opened, and about $75 worth of goods stolen. The thieves have not yet been arrested.

One of the most attractive sights in town is the fine display of Watches, Clocks, Bronzes, and Silver-ware in L. Bernhard's show window

FASHIONS IN FURS.

Sealskin remains the most popular of furs. Sealskin dolmans are the latest novelty, but seem only suitable for long and severe winters. They are very handsome and costly, and are generally trimmed with sea-otter. Seal sacques are more desirable this season in being adapted to the figure, and are made from 38 to 40 inches long, with the addition of a shawl collar, also a collar and lapel and extra cuffs. Seal buttons and pendants are used. The price of fur of all kinds will depend upon the weather. So far there is no advance, owing to the mildness of the season. Sealskin Bonnets are made in the Derby, helmet, cottage and Devonshire shapes. Their rich beauty requires very little trimming; a little sealskin bird, ostrich plumes dyed to match, a squirrel or plain satin lining and strings are all that is needed. They are made of seal without trimming; when made to match a dress or fur-trimmed wrap they are then trimmed to correspond.

For obvious reasons, meaning comfort and the use of one's hands without exposing the person to cold drafts, the fur lined dolman and sacques are more popular than the circular, which was originally intended only for carriage and evening wear, but, like many other garments, is thoughtlessly purchased and worn upon all occasions with utter disregard to adaptability. Some of the most elegant of the circulars are lined with whole Siberian squirrel and trimmed with beautiful silver fox, a costly fur with finest points glistening like frost or thistledown. These circulars are made of heavy gros grain or Sicilliene. Some of the silk dolmans are lined with ermine and have a chinchilla trimming. Fur trimmings are exceedingly fashionable. Boas have long since disappeared; collars taking their place on jackets and cloaks of cloth. The Russian sable, the most costly of all furs is rarely seen here, but the Hudson Bay sable is equally fine and soft. Its too light color has to be dyed to rank equally with other furs, or to imitate the magnificent Russian fur. Sea-otter and fisher tail trimmings are fashionable, because expensive as well as handsome. Next rank the less costly black marten, brook otter, blue fox and beaver. Many cling to mink as an old favorite, but it does not rank among desirable furs. The Africa chinchilla is now fashionable again. This variety possesses the most velvety softness and clearest gray color; the Bolivia of the same fur is less beautiful, having a tint of brown. Handsome cloth paletots or cloaks of mastic, fawn or light cream are very elegant, with a broad fur collar and cuffs. Many fashionable women prefer these to sealskin sacques for the sake of novelty.

Deaths.

BEACH—In Locust township on the 4th inst. Mrs. Lavina Beach, wife of Wm. Beach, aged 61 years, 7 months and 25 days.

Business Notices

Rubbers at McKinney's.

Highest cash market price paid for 200 good veal calves that weigh from 125 lbs. 140, 150, 160 and upwards Prices gone up at Lightstreet.

Silas Young.

Nov. 21. 2-m.

Did you see those handsome Rings, Necklaces and Charms at Clark & Son and so cheap, they warrant them too.

Buy your figs ot Hartman Bros. for 15cts, per pound.

Nov. 28 3-w.

The Eighmie Shirt, a bosom you can not muss, at Clark & Son's. Call and see it.

200 nice thrifty white shotes that weigh 35, 40, 50, 60 and 75 lbs; wanted at Light Street by Silas Young.

Nov. 21. 2-m.

2 gents all linen collars for 25 cts at Clark & Son.

Wanted 2000 lbs of nice dried Raspberries, at 25 cents per pound. And 2000 lbs of nice dried pitted cherries for which I will pay the very highest market price.

SILAS YOUNG.

July 18-6m.

Admission free at McKinney's.

Suiting flannels 1¼ yds wide all wooll 90 cts at Clark & Son.

Boots and Shoes cheap at McKinney's.

Wanted, 200 tons of good Rock Oak Bark at $5 per ton by Silas Young, Light Street.

Sept. 19, 3m.

We are still selling cotton flannels at last year's lowest prices, from 8 cts up, Clark & Son.

Boot headquarters at McKinney's.

Finest Shaker dried corn in market, also all kinds of canned goods at Hartman Bros.

Nov. 28th 3-w.

Try our 30 ct Syrup and our Roasted Coffee, Clark & Son.

Want good live calves that weigh 120 lbs. to 125, 130, 140, 150, 160 and upward at Light Street by

SILAS YOUNG.

Sept. 19 3-m.

Call at McKinney's for Shoes.

Clark & Son's Corset Stock is complete at lowest prices.

Raisins, prunes, currants, peaches &c., cheap, at Hartman Bros. Nov. 28th 3w.

McKinneys Shoe Store below Court House.

X L C R Boneless cod fish. Finest in market. Also X L C R Mackerel in 10 pound tin cans at Hartman Bros.

Dec. 5, 2-w.

FAIR TEST.

One pint of the head light oil burned in my lamp 11½ hours. Afterwards the Royal Safeguard oil was used in the same lamp one pint of which burned 16½ hours.

A Consumer.

Royal Safeguard Oil Sold only by D. A. Creasy.

Ties, Bows, Ribbons, Collars, Cuffs, Pin Cushions, Laces, etc., suitable for presents, at Clark & Son, low prices.

Autograph and photograph albums of the latest styles at G. A. Clark's.

"Columbia Yarns" will weigh full 16 oz. to pound, will knit farther, sold at Clark & Son.

Go and see I. W. Hartman's table of fancy books for Christmas presents.

Clark & Son's stock of Jewelry is complete, prices the lowest, goods warranted as represented.

One price to all at I. W. Hartman's your neighbor gets goods at your price, can you ask less.

Hats! CAPS, Latest styles. Hats!! CAPS, Lowest Prices at the Popular Clothing Store of D. Lowenberg. Hats!!! CAPS.

Try some of the Royal Safeguard Oil, best in the market. Sold only at Cressy's

Go to Clark & Son for your holiday goods they have lots of them and at low prices.

Books of poetry and Prose by the latest authors at Clark's in Exchange Hotel building.

Did you see that Black Cashmere all wool at Clark & Sons for 80 cts a yard? It is very cheap.

The ladies go. The men go. The children go. The rich go, The poor go. The weak go. The strong go. And I go to I. W. Hartman's to buy Christmas goods.

G. A. Clark has beautiful Christmas cards for sale.

Clark & Son are displaying over 150 different varieties of Silk and Linen Handkerchiefs from 5 cts. to $4.

Youths, Boys and Childrens' Hats and Caps for winter wear at D. Lowenberg's.

G. A. Clark sells large family Bibles.

Clark & Son are offering some bargains in Ladies Coats, at popular prices; also Furs.

Lutz & Sloan have the largest stock of Furs in the county and their prices are the lowest.

Rubber Coats white and black, Blankets, Leggings, Gloves, Caps at the lowest prices at D. Lowenberg's.

Real Seal Skin Caps just received at David Lowenberg's.

Holiday goods at Clark & Son.

Cheap toy books for children at Clark's book store.

Those 40 ct all wool Cashmeres are pronounced by the ladies to be cheap at Clark & Son.

Lutz & Sloan sell ladies coats for $2.75 and upward.

Still ahead, the Nobby Over Coats, Ulsters and suits at D. Lowenberg's.

It is said by good judges that J. B. Scott sells the best cigars at 2 for 5 cents which can be found in town.

Alphabet and building blocks at G. A. Clark's.

Go to Clark & Son for Furs.

Pocket books and Card cases at G. A. Clark's.

Clark & Son still offer a full line of Domestic goods at old prices.

Frames for hand and tablet photographs at Clark's book store,

Holiday goods at Clark & Son, all invited to call.

If you want to save money buy your Dry goods of Lutz & Sloan.

Shoes about cost, to close out, at Clark & Son.

Alexander & Woodhouse Wholesale and Retail Tobacconists, No 2. Opera House block Bloomsburg have the choicest line of tobacco and cigars, in the country, and sell at factory prices, you will do well to call and see them.

December, 12, 2-w.

Hoods, Leggins, Mittens, Clouds, Nubias, at Clark & Son.

L. Bernhard has a very large assortment of gold wedding rings and other styles of the best quality at low prices.

G. A. Clark will order any book you may desire at catalogue prices.

Dress Goods very cheap at Clark & Son.

Gold Pencils and Pencil Cases for sale by G. A. Clark.

Pocket Books and Velvet Photograph frames from 5 cts up at Clark & Son.

Music Rolls and Folios for sale at Clark's book store.

A pair of those elegant wool blankets at Clark & Son will make a nice present.

Cash down for Christmas goods, no trust, no drawer accounts, nothing but cash and produce at I. W. Hartman's.

Towels and Napkins, Table Linen, etc., at Clark & Son.

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General News.

Daniel Webster's house at Marshfield, the burning of which will be remembered, will be replaced by a structure as nearly like it as possible.

The secret of perfect health is invariably found by those who take "Sellers' Liver Pills."

The Oxford Presbyterian church, the finest edifice of that denomination in Philadelphia, was burned last week Wednesday. A church fair was being held to raise money to pay for a new organ, and the stoves used to cook dinner on being too near the wood work set fire to it. Loss about $100,000.

The Kenawha valley, West Virginia, has been suffering from the acts of the Knights of Labor in a similar manner as did a portion of Pennsylvania from the Mollie Maguires. The organizations resemble each other and most of the labor troubles in the region named are traceable to the secret influence of this association. It first appeared in 1879, and gaining strength undertook to dictate who should or should not be employed, causing long and bitter controversy between operators and miners.

A Democrat Cured.

A leading democrat of Burlington, Mr. E. M. Sutton, speaks in the highest terms of the curative power of the celebrated Kidney-Wort. It first cured him of a distressing Kidney disease, and he now uses it whenever he has any symptoms of biliousness or needs toning up. It acts efficiently on the bowels, and cures the worst cases of piles.

It shall be Chief Justice is as interesting a question in South Carolina as who shall be President is to other parts of the country. Chief Justice Willard, who now fills the office, was elected for the unexpired term of Judge Moses. Judge Willard claims, however, that he is entitled to hold office for a full term of six years. Should the present Legislature disagree with him, as it probably will, and elect his successor, Judge Willard will force the Judge-elect to obtain the office by quo warranto. This would be done through the Supreme Court, but Judge Willard is an interested party and his Associate Justice, McIver, is a candidate for the Chief Justiceship. Therefore the Governor would have to appoint Judges for this particular case, and to cap the climax Governor Simpson is himself a candidate for the Supreme bench, to fill the vacancy to be caused by Judge McIver's promotion. It is a strange muddle.

The climate of Pennsylvania is so exceedingly changeable and uncertain that the most prudent cannot guard against taking cold. To all such we would advise the use of Dr. Browning's C. & C. Cordial which has never failed to give prompt relief. It should always be kept on hand and used as soon as the cold makes its appearance. It can be had at all drug stores. W. Champion Browning, M. D., Proprietor and Manufacturer, 1117 Arch St., Philadelphia.

The Monks of the Gothard hospiece, in the Alps, say that during the year ending September 30, they relieved 11,101 indigent wayfarers of all nations, among whom they have distributed 45,966 rations. They have also granted hospitality to 132 persons suffering from the effects of exposure, and made many gifts of clothing.

Kidney-Wort has proved the most effective cure for Piles and Constipation—be sure to try it.

Another attempt was made on the 1st inst. to kill the Czar of Russia by blowing up a train of cars on which he was to Moscow. There was a deep laid plot, but the persons engaged in it made a mistake and blew up the baggage train instead of the passenger. No one was hurt.

Boils, pimples on the face, salt rheum, old sores, and all cutaneous eruptions disappear like magic when "Lindsey's Blood Searcher" is used.

The hair of the Presidents from Washington to Pierce is preserved in the Patent Office at Washington. Washington's is pure white and fine in texture, Jefferson's is a mixture of white and auburn and rather coarse, as also is the hair of "Old Hickory." The custom of preserving the Presidential locks was abandoned in Buchanan's time. How it arose, and why the Patent Office was the repository selected, it would be interesting to know.

Dropsy and Rheumatism

Dropsical and Rheumatic persons find the use of Speer's Port Grape Wine, of New Jersey, and the Wine Bitters, of incalculable benefit. Their purity and valuable properties have given them a wide reputation among physicians throughout this country and Europe. This wine took the highest premium at the late Centennial. For sale by C. A. Kleim, Bloomsburg, Pa.

The reason why express search has been ordered to be made in Zululand for the Prince Imperial's watch is that, attached to the chain, his Highness wore that relic (a fragment of the true Cross) which belonged to Charlemagne, came into the hands of the first Napoleon, and was always worn by the late Emperor, who regarded it as a species of talisman.

The Towanda papers announce that on account of the ground being frozen so hard, the building of their water works has come to a stand still.

There are one hundred and thirty-eight lawyers at the Luzerne county Bar. In point of admission James A. Gordon ranks first—August 7th, 1832. Hendrick B. Wright comes next, having been admitted in 1831

William Parker is the idiot known as the "wild man" of Wyoming county. He has been in the woods 21 years. The Wilkesbarre Record says that he seems to be entirely ignorant of all the usages of civilized society. When first taken to jail he would lie down upon the floor and eat the stones and no one knew what this strange action meant. A quantity of water was poured upon the floor and this he lapped eagerly like a dog. He had evidently drank only from streams or puddles. He has since learned to drink from a basin. Yesterday his keeper gave him some potatoes and taught him how to peel them. He ate them greedily—and then devoured the skins. He had an antipathy to mush, having burned his mouth while eating it whilst too hot. Parks will probably be sent to the Insane Asylum at Danville, and the Poor District of Wyoming county, whence he came, be made to pay for his keeping.

Andrew Tracy was hanged at Smethport Pa., last Thursday for the murder of his cousin Mary Reilly in September 1878.

Judge Paxson of the Pennsylvania Supreme Court, has decided that the use of inflammable oils, such as benzine, in cleaning machinery, in such quantities as may be needed from time to time, does not invalidate an insurance policy, which provides that such oils shall not be kept upon the premises.

Notices are posted at the door ways of the Milton car works, that after the 15th inst. an increase of ten per cent. will be paid on present wages to all employees.

TURKEYS.—It does not cost any more, or much more, to raise a pound of turkey than a pound of hen flesh. In the summer they require to be fed less, being masterly campaigners on their own account, while in the winter very likely their nervous disposition demands somewhat more stimulus than other fowls. If well fed, they do not require nearly as careful housing as the hen, although it is good policy to make them roost in-doors: but left to themselves, they prefer to weather out the wildest storm in the tree-tops. Finally, when brought to market, their flesh is worth much more than that of the hen, so that, other things being equal, it is economy to keep them instead. Also, that it is worth considering, allowing that the percentage of loss of young turkey chicks under the most perfect management is greater than the loss of the common fowl, still turkeys that survive reach such a great weight that a given number of pounds of turkey may, perhaps, be raised with less labor than the same quanity of flesh of the common fowls.

A statistician computes that 2,500,000 watches and 4,000,000 clocks are annually turned out in different parts of the world.

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Here is the latest outrage from the solid south. Emile Detlege, the republican candidate for sheriff in St. Martinsville parish, Louisiana, shot and killed the two Dein Houssaye brothers, one of whom was the democratic candidate for sheriff. Score another point for the shot gun policy.

Jersey Butter.

Jersey Butter is all the fashion, and it has become so, mainly because the markets have kept up a uniform color through the year, using artificial color when necessary. Dairymen who wish to be in the fashion must use the Perfect Butter color made by Wells, Richardson & Co., Burlington, Vt. Hon. E. D. Mason, Pres. Diary Assoc. says: "It gives the brightest and most perfect color to butter of any substance I have ever used. I know it to be, as you say, as harmless as salt, and it adds several cents per pound to the value of butter.

"District" Telegraph-Boys.

The telegraph is now made to do a great many services in the large cities. Instead of merely sending messages from one person to another, instruments are placed in private houses, and the occupants, by merely pressing a knob, can summon a policeman, or give an alarm in case of fire, or call a messenger to do any service that may be required. The principal company in New York which controls such a telegraphic system, is the American District Telegraph Company. The boys in this company's employ have many duties to perform which are not required of the Western Union boys, and they therefore have a great many things to learn before they can be provided with work. When the hirer of a District instrument calls for a messenger, the boy can never know what he may be wanted for. He may be told to hurry for a physician, he may be given a package for delivery, or a bill to collect, or he may be sent by a broker to deliver stock or to have a check certified,—in fine, his duties are too varied for me to name them all. When it is remembered that about 4,500 District instruments are now in use in New York, and that 1,513,265 messages were delivered by the District boys in the year ended September 30, 1877, some notion of the manifold services required of them can be formed.

It is easy to see that an inexperienced and unskillful messenger in such an employment would only prove himself a nuisance to the public and an injury to the company. Every boy, therefore, who is employed by the American District Telegraph Company is put into a training school, and this school is a very interesting one.

The school-room is provided with wooden benches, like those found in old-fashioned country district schools, but the instruction given is entirely in regard to the business of the company. Every candidate for a place must know how to read and write before he can be put into the school. It is of course necessary for the boys to know the situation of every street in the city. A large map of the city is therefore placed before them, with the streets marked on it, but without their names. The teacher points out different streets to his pupils, and they are required to name them. In this way a messenger-boy soon acquires a more complete knowledge of the city's thoroughfares than many an old resident can boast of. In one part of the room are telegraph instruments such as the company uses, and the boys are taught how to send and receive messages on them. Then there is a miniature bank, where they are taught about the use of checks, and there is a kind of make-believe broker's office, where they are taught how to deliver stock, etc. Much attention is given to the instruction in the bank and in the broker's office, as bankers and brokers use the messenger-boys constantly.

There is, besides all this, a great deal for the boys to learn about the company's methods of business, which I need not explain in detail. They must make themselves familiar with the "tariff book," which tells them how much a boy must charge for going from any one place in the city to any other. They must learn the use of the different kinds of tickets, on which the temporary record of their service is kept. They must know when to change for a new station, and when it is proper for them to walk, or use one of the cabs or stages.

The American District Telegraph Company employs on an average 550 boys, who are distributed throughout the city among twenty-three offices. Each office has from five to eighty boys in attendance, according to its location, and every boy is expected to serve 70 hours a day. In the busy seasons of the year, when the offices, constant employment, and a refound for all the boy during this time, and one form of promotion is to send a boy to an 'easy district.'

When a boy arrives at his office in the morning, he goes to the sergeant, who notes if he is on time or not. Then he puts on his uniform and reports to the manager, who ascertains whether or not his hands are clean and his hair is neatly brushed. If he passes this examination successfully, he takes a seat ready for duty. The boys respond to calls in the order of their numbers early in the morning, afterward they take their turns.

A faithful boy in the employ of this company is not often discharged, because business is dull, the resignations of boys who tire their duties or leave for other causes, and the dismissal of boys who are unsatisfactory, rapidly decreasing the force when additions are not made. It has required no little skill so to arrange the service that inefficient messengers may be detected among so many, but this has been accomplished by an admirable system of records, and discipline is enforced by means of fines and extra hours, which soon lessen the wages, or prolong the period of daily service, of those boys who prove remiss.—*W. A. Linn, in St. Nicholas for December.*

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